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Local Jottings

March went out like a lamb
after all, and there was a nice
shower of rain on the forenoon of
the 31st, which made it a certain-
ty that spring had really come.

Mrs Robert Barr saw some
wild geese flying over McAllister
Lake on Sunday.

Dr G. Koch, of Ardenode,
who has been in the States on
business, returned last week and
is now resuming his practice as
a veterinary surgeon and veterinary
dentist.

The Misses Joyce and Nora
Piercy, of Calgary, were visiting
in Strathmore over the week-end.

Without prejudice, the best
window display that has yet been
seen in Strathmore is that at
present shown by Mr. J. H.
Brand. The up-to-date stock
that Mr. Brand is carrying in
ladies and gents wear is a credit
to the town as a retail centre. Mr.
Richards is the one actually re-
sponsible for the tasty window
display, but the store has the
good taste show.

Sgt King, who recently re-
turned from France with the
F.P.C.L.'s after a long spell of
active service, was visiting his
wife's parents, Mr and Mrs F. K.
Lilly, this week-end, along with
Mrs King.

Mr James Walker, Demonstra-
tion Farm, was injured in the
eye last Wednesday by one of
the prongs of a pitchfork. He
was in Strathmore Hospital for a
few days, and is getting along
all right now.

Mr Berry, of the Strathmore
Hardware, has now completed
the addition to his store, and he
has room now to display his
ample stock.

Posters are now out announc-
ing the big vaudeville entertain-
ment in the Opera House on
Monday evening, under the aus-
pices of the Baseball Club. Local
talent is supplying all the items,
and a most enjoyable evening
is assured. The entertain-
ment is under the capable
direction of Mr E. Richards, who
has proved so successful with
other entertainments lately in
the past few months.

Calgary Operatic Society are
presenting the musical play "The
Cingalee" at the Grand Theatre
on April 10, 11, 12. Several
former Strathmore residents are
taking a prominent part in the
production.

The coroner's jury which met
in Saskatoon on Thursday, to
investigate the deaths of Mr W.
E. Metcalf, engineer, and other
operatives of the C.P.R., who
were killed at Arden on the
morning of the 24th, when the
train ran off the tracks and
crashed into a grain elevator,
reported that death was due to
asphyxiation, concussion and
burns. Mr Metcalf is a brother
of Mrs G. Frank Butler.

"Summer Time" has been
adopted by the railways of Can-
ada, but not by the Dominion
Government, with the result that
those who wish to make a train
connection have got to arrive at
the Depot an hour ahead of the
time their clock shows. The
Strathmore Depot, also, closes
for general freight and express
business at 4 p.m. now, which is
5 p.m. under daylight saving time.

A subscriber, renewing, writes
"Your paper is improved, writes
on." Thanks, brother.

Did you get a red tag on your
copy of the Standard last week?
If you did, don't forget about it.
It's an S.O.S.

Quite a number of house sales
have taken place here during the
past few days. Mr W. P.
Fredericks, rancher, has bought
the house owned by Mr E. W.
Pust on Sixth Street, while the
Crosby Lumber Co. has bought
Mr L. E. Wright's house on 30th
Street and sold the present resi-
dence of their manager, Mr
Lodmell, to Mr A. Gray.

Mrs W. Ferguson, wife of
Strathmore's first station agent,
died at Bassano on Friday. Mrs
Ferguson was well-known and
highly respected by all who knew
her, and the news of her death
was received with regret.

E. W. Pust, Secretary of MD
Grasswood, was in town
during the week-end. Mr Pust is selling
his store at Tudor F. E.
Wegener and intends to devote
all his attention to Municipality
business.

C. E. Henry, former "Mayor"
of Nightingale, arrived last week
from Portland, Oregon, where he
has spent the winter. At the ex-
piration of his visit here he is
leaving to resume his business at
Vulcan, Alta.

Jack Downie left town Monday
for Wadena, Sask. He is going
into partnership with Mr A. W.
Miller on the latter's ranch there.

The stock has been busy in
the town and district lately, and
three births were recorded dur-
ing the week-end, as follows: Mr
and Mrs Chas Rattray, daughter
Mr and Mrs A. Kersters, son;
Mr and Mrs G. Colloff, son.
Earlier arrivals during the month
are to the credit of Mr and Mrs F.
Siegrist and Mrs and Mrs Myashita
Jap Colony.

We are all pleased to see a
new business succeeding, and
are therefore pleased to hear that
Mr J. V. Moran, plumber, tin-
smith, etc., is increasing his
staff on account of the amount of
work he is getting. He is gain-
ing a fine reputation throughout
the town and district for good
work, and that is worth a lot to a
business.

If your subscription is due or
overdue, don't be slow in renewing
it. We have got a long way
behind in the past three years
and are trying to get our list up-
to-date again.

On Monday evening Mr and
Mrs W. G. Way entertained a
large number of friends of their
son Clifford, recently returned
from Overseas, and a very pleas-
ant evening was spent in mar-
ket games, etc., while ice cream
and refreshments were passed around
prior to the break-up of the party.

Dr Elmer Wright, well known
to many Strathmore people, is
resuming his dental practice in
the Union Bank Building, Cal-
gary, after several years in the
Army.

At a recent meeting of the
Executive of the Alberta Educa-
tional Association it was decided
to postpone the annual conven-
tion until April 1920. The loss
of time on account of the influ-
enza epidemic and the increased
railway rates in force were among
the reasons which led to this
decision.

At a recent meeting of the
School Teachers of Strathmore
and District it was decided to
form a branch of the Alberta
Teachers' Alliance. A committee
was appointed and by their ar-
rangements are to be made for an
early social and business meeting
Teachers who have not yet joined
the Alliance are invited to com-
municate with the local Secretary
Miss Phillips, Box 248, Strath-
more.

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into stylish wrist watches at the
the **ALTA** JEWELRY STORE,
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Dance, Friday, April 11th.

A son was born to Mr. and
Mrs. Hurlbut, Nightingale, on
Sunday.

Work on the phone line north
from here is to be commenced
almost immediately. The
Government engineer is at pre-
sent in the district looking over
the ground.

A MEETING

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disadvantages. When you do go in be sure you
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District & U.F.A. Notes

TO OUR READERS

The Secretaries of the following locals will be pleased to take in subscriptions, ads., job printing, and news items for the Standard. Co-operate with them in sending them any local items you may know of.

Strathmore - H. Bolsavain Nightingale - E. M. Stodley
Ardanode - W. H. Donkin Cheadle - O. G. Miller
Namaka - S. W. Lawrie Carseland - Hans Lassen

STRATHMORE & BOW VALLEY STANDARD
John Mackenzie, Editor

Ardanode Notes

The next meeting of this local will be held at Ardanode on Saturday, April 30, at 1:30, when it is hoped to distribute the farm directory ordered by the various members, and also the gopher poison which is being distributed by the municipality. If the poison is not out hand for this meeting the farmers in this district, viz., township 26, and the south half of township 26, will be to obtain their supply from either Mr. T. L. Chamberlain, P. H. Donkin, secretary of the local, every farmer being entitled to 1 packet for each quarter or for a whole section. As this will probably be the last meeting before sending starts, it is to be hoped that there will be a good attendance of members.

A surprise party visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fraser on Saturday, March 29th, the occasion being the birthday of Mr. Fraser. Friends from all parts being present among these were: Misses Margaret Allen and Heis Esplin, Fred Langlands, from Calgary, Miss Gladys Corbin, Mr. Theo. Barry, Misses Agnes and Alice Barry, the Barry Bros and George Barry, from Strathmore, Theo. McLaughlin, Fairmont, Sask., and A. Mercer, Ardandode.

A most enjoyable evening was spent playing cards and dancing, after which a very good supper was served.

Carseland Notes

Teams are still crossing the river on the ice, but a day or two more of this kind of weather will make it impossible.

The town well has been fixed up, and is now working good.

A Chicken Pie Supper took place in the Union Church on Friday evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid. A very enjoyable evening was spent, \$58.00 was realized towards the expenses of the church.

Mr. E. L. Lockhart returned last week from a visit to friends at New Dayton.

The Dixie Jubilee Singers gave a concert in the Union Church last night.

Cheadle Notes

The regular meeting of the U.F.A. will be held on Wednesday, April 2nd, at 8 p.m.

Mr. H. Miner has returned from Illinois, where she went to see her mother, who has been very ill.

Mr. T. Lyons has purchased a home in Calgary, where she will reside in the future.

Gravel pits in the order of the day, get over them everybody.

Suicide at Namaka

A Chinaman named Wong Lok Dai committed suicide at the Namaka Farm on Wednesday morning by tying his neck to the top of his bedstead and then leaving himself a foot, which must have taken considerable reflection, as the position in which he was found could have saved himself by merely putting out his hands.

No reason is given for the act, so it seemed to be quite suicidal, possibly, as the deceased was a settler on the farm, and had a considerable sum of money laid by.

Constante Volk came down the morning of the affair, and the body was then removed to Chase's Undertaking Parlor, Strathmore, and afterwards taken to Calgary for burial in the Chinese Cemetery there. The deceased's brother was down here in connection with the case, accompanied by Wong Lung, an interpreter.

Nightingale Notes

The store at Nightingale has again changed hands, the Nightingale Trading Co., Ltd., having taken over the business from Mr. Robertson. Mr. P. Ray Prince, formerly of the Strathmore Trading Co., is in charge.

The roads have been very bad lately, necessitating a large congregation has not yet started Sunday afternoon. Sunday school will commence on the first Sunday in April after the usual service. Mr. J. A. Mackenzie is superintendent. Dr. Kirby, from Calgary, is expected to preach at the next service.

It almost looks like boom time again! Several new settlers have moved and fence and wire is being handled by the farmers.

U.F.A.

The last meeting of Nightingale local was not very well attended, owing to the condition of the roads, but several matters of importance were brought up.

It was decided to take political action, and the secretary was instructed to get a speaker down here, and to start the ball rolling.

Information was brought to the meeting that a company had been formed at Rockyford to put phones in the district, and that the probable cost would be \$200 per mile. Our members are very anxious to get the phones in this district. The Provincial Government has promised to put in a trunk line this year, but we get it.

Another car of posts have been ordered, and the purchasers of the last year were very pleased with them. Next meeting will be held on April 2nd.

The Pic S.S. was held on March 29th. A good crowd was present, and enough money was made from the sale of pie to pay the delegates expenses and put a little to the main fund.

Council Meeting M.D. Bow Valley

A meeting of the council of the Municipal District Bow Valley was held in the municipal office on March 22nd. Rev. Watson presided, and other present were: Councillors Green, Lewis, Evans and Baker.

Correspondence to be proposed hospital and tax engagement returns was read and approved.

B. P. Zaver was appointed as engineer for the grading cut for the main road, which will probably commence about the beginning of May.

SEED GRAIN

The secretary was instructed to arrange for seed grain advances to the farmers applying for same, provided they could give a lien on the land, otherwise they are to be charged mortgage.

A motion of Mr. Baker that applications shall be required to give advances as to tax collection, market value, and location from the councillors of the council, passed as a matter of course.

EMERGENCY HOSPITAL

Bills and accounts in connection with the Langevin Hospital, which passed during the Pic S.S. were read, and the secretary was instructed to pay \$200 on account, the balance to be held over for further information.

CARS AND WELLS

A motion was passed that \$200 of the funds collected in Carseland be applied to the costs incurred by the well committee.

A number of other matters were discussed.

Elwood Notes

Mike Mason is building a house on his quarter here, and will form it this year. He is living on the place himself, owned by Albert Thomsen at present.

The Elwood school will reopen soon, as the teacher arrives. One is expected from the teachers agency at Regina.

Mike Pinkerton and Theo Thomsen did a bit of scrubbing at the school house Monday evening. H. Hanson lost a valuable horse last week.

The school boys give a little dance in the old P. and F. shack on Monday evening. The floor was not too bad. Anderson (the Mayor's son) furnished the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hanson and family, Mr. E. Anderson, Mr. C. Pinkerton and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Pinkerton and daughter, Mildred, attended a party and dance given by Mrs. Stead's family at the new Elwood hall.

Thorvald Thomsen and Leon Pinkerton were Namaka callers this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Pinkerton and daughter spent Sunday with H. B. Brown and family.

Miss Thelma and Mr. Harold Stead were callers at the Pinkerton house on Friday.

Miss Mildred Pinkerton is spending the year and with Marcia and Muriel Brown.

Parke and Carol Ballard were callers in this vicinity a few days this week.

Mrs. Goner, of Calgary, is taking charge of Thomsen's cook house for the summer.

Hervey

The farmers of the Hervey School district held a meeting on the 21st of March to discuss matters of U.F.A. local, with the result that a branch was formed and named Hervey local. About 10 farmers were present and the principal business taken up was to elect committees to petition for rural mail telephone, leading platform at the school, and to have a meeting in the district, which are impossible in many places. We have already got word that rural mail is quite possible if a twenty-five mile route can be formed. The next meeting will be held on Friday, April 4th, and we invite all farmers in the district to be present. Meeting held at Hervey School at 8 p.m.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 1919

"Back to Civvies"

Now that demobilisation is in full
swing, men from Strathmore and
district are being discharged every
other day, and are going back to
their civilian occupations.

Among those who have demobilised during the past week are
J. Mullen, of the C.P.I.D., W. R.
Hepburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J.
Hepburn, discharger, Blincoe, who
is a Military Medalist, and J.
McMullen, C.P.I.D.

Lt.-Col. Leonard Crossley, girth
Bn., who left from Strathmore, but
whose parents are not in Clonville,
Alta., arrived in Calgary Monday,
and is expected down here shortly.
He was severely wounded in an
engagement in France, and was
even reported dead, but he made a
good recovery.

Stanley Griffin, Chedoke, re-
turned with the 49th last week.

Word has been received that
Andy Armstrong, of the C.P.I.D.,
will be in Strathmore here long,
and D. H. Morgan, also of the
C.P.I.D., who enlisted in the early
days of the war, writing to Mrs.
G. T. Berry, states that he expects
to be discharged shortly, and that
he is coming back to Strathmore.

Fred Anderson, son of Mr. and
Mrs. H. J. Anderson, writing to
his parents states that he is now
back in England, and that he ex-
pects to be back in Strathmore
about the middle of April.

Bill Tierney is back on his old
job, and is now tailoring and clothes-
pressing for E. Dobson.
So far there has been no com-
plaint of unemployment among the
men returning to Strathmore. The
C.P.I.D. Irrigation Department has
played a very patriotic part, by
stating all their employees who
return and wish to go back to their
service, and they have also taken
on several men who were otherwise
employed previously.

Strathmore G.W.V.A. is just now
awaiting receipt of their charter,
and once that is received they will
be able to go right ahead, they
have already about 20 members
enrolled, and as the men return the
membership will increase greatly.
A concert is being held under their
auspices on April 21st.

Rexall Store Changes Hands

An important business deal was
consummated last week, whereby
Mr. W. M. Marshall takes over the
Rexall Drug Store in Strathmore,
which has been conducted since its
opening in 1912 by Mr. A. W.
Miller. Mr. Miller is going farming.
He has been the country manager
at Wadena, Saskatchewan, for the
past seven years, and has a large
herd of cattle there.

Mr. Marshall is a capable young
business man. He has fifteen years
experience in the drug business, and
previous to coming here was chief
dispenser with J. D. Higginbotham,
Leithbridge. He can be depended
on to keep up the fine reputation
built up by Mr. Miller. Mr. Marshall
is married, and his wife and family
will be along as soon as he can find
house room.

Mr. Miller's departure will be re-
gretted by his many friends in the
community. As stated, he has
been here since the early days of
the town, and has taken an active

part in public matters, having been
a member of the town council for a
time, and also president of the
board of trade. We wish him suc-
cess in his farming operations, in
which he will have as a partner Mr.
Jack Downie, lately returned from
overseas.

Strathmore U.F.A.

A meeting of Strathmore U.F.A.
was held on Saturday in the King
Edward temple rooms, President
Weyers in the chair.

Business done was mostly in con-
nection with political action, which
is being mooted in connection with
the U.F.A. throughout Alberta, and
the argument seemed to be that the
newly formed District Association of
East and West Calgary might not
work in connection with the
Non-Partisan League, while the
Strathmore Local apparently favors
that body, and it was claimed that
the Medicine Hat Convention had
also favored the League.

It was decided, however, to
obtain further information before
passing any definite resolution on
the matter.

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Racial Question and League of Nations

Paris. — William Hughes, premier of Australia, made the flat statement to the Associated Press that he was "inalterably in opposition to the proposed racial equality amendment to the covenant of the league of nations or to any form of it, however much it might be recognized that the American amendment concerned the Monroe Doctrine and the Japanese racial amendments were not included in the covenant of the league of nations as sent to the drafting committee. The amendments may be offered later at a plenary session of the peace council or before the council of ten.

The Japanese delegation to the peace conference continued to press for an amendment to the covenant of the league which would go as far as the conference was willing to concede toward the promulgation of the principle of the equality of races. The original Japanese proposal, which met with speedy rejection, has been modified by them several times until as it stands today, it calls for "recognition of the equality of nations and just treatment of all their nationals." It was generally understood that several of the leading delegates, including the United States minister and the majority of the British, were inclined to believe there was nothing objectionable to an amendment thus framed.

"Australia," said Premier Hughes, "cannot accept this proposal which strikes at the very root of the policy which we have maintained so long, which is vital to our existence and which we have guarded as zealously as has America her Monroe Doctrine. I am anxious to avoid anything likely to hurt the susceptibilities of the people of other nations, but on this point, since we cannot give in, it is best that I should speak plainly. We cannot agree to the insertion of any words in the covenant or in the treaty of peace, that would impair or even question our sovereign rights in regard to any and every aspect of this question.

"One of the principles of the league is that there shall be no interference with the independence of any nation."

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London. — The Paris correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette says on high authority that "in order to avoid perils which would inevitably arise if preliminary peace terms are agreed, it is proposed to postpone the drafting until such time as the various commissions shall have fulfilled their labors, and have presented their respective reports, the representatives of the great powers have drawn up certain proposals which seem ample to constitute the basis of the first treaty, or one analogous to that signed at Versailles in 1871.

The correspondents add that these proposals are under the consideration of the "great council of four," Premier Lloyd George, Clemenceau and Orlando and President Wilson, which has temporarily superseded the council of ten, and that this arrangement will greatly expedite the decision of the peace conference.

"A final settlement will not be accomplished until the peace conference has met."

British Strikers Resume Work Han Liners Arrive in England

Railway Strike Resolution Was Rejected and Miners Out Are Expected

London. — The delegates to the conference of the National Union of Railwaymen have decided to accept the offer of the government for the settlement of their demands.

J. H. Thomas, general secretary of the union, said that the settlement was made subject to satisfaction being obtained on some points yet outstanding. The strike resolution was rescinded by the conference.

Thirty thousand South Wales miners have resumed work and the remainder of the strikers will fall in line.

Leviathans of Atlantic Now Being Handed Over in Obedience to Allied Terms

Copenhagen. — The delivery of German merchant ships to the allies continues. Various vessels of the Hansa line sailed from Bremen and the North German Lloyd liners.

Other steamers of the North German Lloyd allotted to the allies are also preparing to sail soon.

Must Pay Own Way

Soldiers' Dependents Who Left Canada After Signing of Armistice Return at Own Expense

Ottawa. — Owing to the fact that a number of soldiers' dependents are leaving for England in the expectation of returning with their soldier relatives, the order in council is re-issued to the effect that the cost of their return will be borne by the dependents themselves.

Those, therefore, who have left Canada for the United Kingdom since the signing of the armistice will have to return at their own expense.

The German Whine Over Peace Terms

Labrador's Coast Swept by Disease

Epidemic Raged Four Months, Wiping Out Whole Settlements

Montreal. — The Montreal Star publishes the following: "St. John, Newfoundland, March 26.—By mail to Battle Harbor and wireless to this city, came intelligence of shocking conditions in northern Labrador, as a result of influenza, smallpox and measles, which swept the coast during the winter. Earlier in the season reports of deaths on the southern section of the coast showed that over 25 per cent of the natives died.

"From Gros Water Bay to Nain the epidemic raged for four months, carrying off approximately 90 per cent of the inhabitants on that area of the coast. At Nain, 40 Newfoundlanders who wintered on the coast for trade purposes, died, and over 40 Eskimos also died, which represents practically the whole population of that settlement. Osk, with a population of over 200, is entirely wiped out. At Helton 200 died, leaving only a remnant of residents at that station to dispose of the bodies. At the latter place the survivors dug a pit into which they threw them. The epidemic also carried off about 100 being disposed of in that manner. On the island in the vicinity of Osk, 15 people who resided there for several days, died.

"Many emigrants who are inevitably connected with the central mail posts, failed to report, and the conclusion is that the whole population of these places has succumbed to the disease.

"It is estimated that only 400 natives remain in Gros Water Bay to Nain are left alive. The full extent of the calamity will not be known until the opening of navigation in the coming summer, but well grounded fears are expressed that the disease which ravaged the north and center area of the Labrador coast extended north, and that the most appalling conditions will be disclosed when the ice barrier permits investigation. Medical aid was unobtainable, and the unfortunate strikers perished, as if by the plague."

Hungary's Revolutionary Army

Will Be Armed and Fed at Expense of State

Budapest. — The new Hungarian government has begun re-organization of a revolutionary army, to be recruited from the organized proletariat and the soldiers and workmen now disbanded. The chief of the Red army, reports received from Budapest say, is the adviser of the revolutionary government, but control of the conduct and organization of the army will be in the hands of the people's commissariat for military affairs. The soldiers will receive 450 crores monthly and will be well equipped, armed and fed at the expense of the state. Two or more soldiers to the same family will get an extra allowance of fifty crores a month, and those who have dependents will get extra pay of 300 crores every six months.

The normal value of the Austrian crown before the war was 20.3 cents.

Food Scarce in Barcelona

Washington. — Advice from Madrid state department said conditions in that city were quiet, but that at Barcelona many arrests had been made by the military authorities because of refusal on the part of the civilians to obey orders. The army there considered private automobiles useless, many shops are closed, food is becoming scarce and great anxiety is shown in that city.

War Shows Financial Strength of Britain

all enterprise and the courage with which she meets her debts by taxation.

Great Britain, with a war debt of \$400,000,000, is in a situation comparing favorably with her debt and per capita wealth with the conclusion of the Napoleonic Wars. The allies owe Great Britain between \$9,000,000,000 and \$10,000,000,000. The former debt was paid in a situation comparing favorably with her debt and per capita wealth with the conclusion of the Napoleonic Wars. The allies owe Great Britain between \$9,000,000,000 and \$10,000,000,000. The former debt was paid in a situation comparing favorably with her debt and per capita wealth with the conclusion of the Napoleonic Wars.



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Keep away from the flame of the candle if you don't want your crime singled, is a proverb as old as the hills. So old we have almost forgotten to apply it to ourselves. In every community men and women are imitating the moths. How many times have we been singed by the fascination of that long distance "bargain"? And how many times have we come back and been angry at the flame? How much money is lost each year to this community by this same singing process? The flame of the candle must higher. The moths crowd closer and closer to the flame. It is our business to put that flame out. Wanted—A few men and women in our community to apply the snuffer.

Opposed to Fixed Prices

Views of Hon. Creer and the Governor

Ottawa. — Hon. Mr. Creer, answering W. D. Coxon, of Regina, in the agricultural committee, said that in opposing a fixed price for wheat, he spoke only for himself and not for the government.

It is a habit that ministers have; only the premier speaks for the government. At the same time, those in the inside at Ottawa know that the sentiments of the government are those of Mr. Creer. They have been talking about it since last fall and there has been no far no decision of cabinet against the proposal. Mr. Creer broke the ice, but, voting only his own views officially, he voiced, unofficially, the views of his colleagues.

Scotch-Canadian members will now throw the question into parliament, with a direct resolution calling for a fixed price. The outlook is not promising.

Dominion Troops Parade in London

London. — It is understood that Lord Milner, British secretary for the colonies, is giving his personal attention to the question of the ceremonial parade through London by the Dominion troops before their departure for home.

Many newspapers here are cordially expressing regret that the overseas soldiers are being allowed to depart practically without a send-off.

Report is Erroneous

Sir Robert Not Considering Position of Ambassador at Washington

Ottawa. — Sir Thomas White, in the commonsense stated that from time to time press dispatches from abroad had been associated erroneously the name of Sir Robert Borden with the position of British ambassador at Washington. He is not considering the position of British ambassador at Washington and it is no intention to return to Canada and resume his duties as prime minister as soon as my work with the conference will permit.

Revises Report for Reds

London. — Renter's learns in Moscow from Jack Russia, that General Kheisovskiy, a member of the Red army, had been captured on a ship on a thirty mile stretch on March 11, and advanced, nearly forty miles along the right bank of the Kama river between the already captured towns of Oshkansk and Ossa. The Red army is being pursued in this direction, and is being pursued in this direction, and is being pursued in this direction.

Spirit of the Times

London. — The allegorical figure of Columbia, representing the United States, is to be supplanted that of Germania and clasp the hand of Britannia in the decoration of the British flag in the Downing street.

Germany Must Accept Terms

Alles Expect to Be Bluffed Into Surrender

Colnace. — As the time for presenting the peace terms to Germany approaches the important question arises as to what attitude Germany will take. Is the present German government sufficiently stable to carry out the enforced terms of peace?

Whether Germany will accept the terms regardless of their severity is not considered a question open to discussion. Germany will be obliged to accept though no one doubts but that she will haggle and bluff until the last minute just as she did in the armistice negotiations when Maximal Fuch pulled out his watch and said: "Gentlemen, my train leaves in five minutes and if the agreement is not signed before that time the war will continue." It is expected that the same tactics will be followed when the peace terms are presented to the so-called peace powers.

Exhilarates the Unweary

Geneva. — Former Emperor William of Germany, alarmed by the sight of threatening letters intends to leave Holland and seek refuge in Switzerland according to the news paper La Suisse. Swiss newspapers are printing many advertisements in order to attract German and Austrian soldiers seeking houses in this country at moderate prices.

Moss Welcomes Canadians

Paris. — The municipal council of Montreal, according to the newspaper L'Action, officer commanding the Third Canadian Division, which formed part of the first army which liberated Mosul on November 11.

Weimar. — Speaking in the national assembly, Philipp Scheidemann

the German statesman, said that non-official reports were increasing that fresh aggressions in the peace conditions were being announced; that unprecedented sums in compensation are to be imposed; that wide stretches of sacred German territory are to be taken and that crushing restrictions are to be imposed in financial and military matters.

"Assuredly a large part of these alleged conditions are invented," the chancellor continued, "so that by repetition, they will accustom us to these unheard of demands and the final conditions may seem almost bearable to us. They are invented in order to create an atmosphere which will induce protest even against a peace of violence. Our peoples, which have no right to protest against this method. A very, not a Chancellor who is not interested in its control, but a people which will defend itself to the conference of business as going up throughout Germany."

Her Scheidemann said the protests against the alleged conditions were due to patriotic bias. The government knew this loyalty to the empire was one of the most valuable possessions of the German people and would not permit it to be endangered upon its honor abroad. The chancellor exhorted the people to stand together, adding:

"The so-called radicals of the left have no right to protest against a period of oppression for we are responsible under the treaties of Brest-Litovsk and Bucharest."

Declaring that Great Britain had rejected a proposal to establish an international tribunal to settle responsibility for the war, Her Scheidemann said:

"The British are responsible for all the crimes she is accused of, has she thereby lost the right to protest against fetters which will shackle her?"

"She was worse than Brest-Litovsk because Spas shows that it learned nothing from Brest-Litovsk."

Hungary is Warned

More Socialistic Government Will Not Satisfy Autocrat of Red Russia

Copenhagen. — Premier Lenin, of the Russian Soviet government, has sent a wireless dispatch to Bela Kun, Hungarian minister of the interior, advising him for guarantees that the Hungarian government is really commencing and not only in name.

Lenin warns Kun against instituting "our Russian tactics in detail" in his measures. Lenin says: "Owing to the peculiar circumstances, it is quite certain it would be a mistake for the Hungarian revolution to imitate our Russian tactics in detail. I must warn you against this mistake."

Vote to Keep Rhine Territory

Meetings of Protest in Germany Against "Evacuating Peace"

Paris. — The Russian national assembly has voted unanimously against the relinquishment by Germany of any of the Rhine territory, especially the Saar basin, according to German state department said conditions in that city were quiet, but that at Barcelona many arrests had been made by the military authorities because of refusal on the part of the civilians to obey orders. The army there considered private automobiles useless, many shops are closed, food is becoming scarce and great anxiety is shown in that city.

